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For : INHIBITION OF TUMOR ANGIOGENESIS BY COMBINATION OF
THROMBOSPONDIN-1 AND INHIBITORS OF VASCULAR
ENDOTHELIAL GROWTH FACTOR

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO/SB/08a form. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months after the filing date of the above-referenced application but, to the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed non-patent literature are attached. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." Applicants reserve the right to present to the Office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of the documents.

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Respectfully submitted,

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